Work in Government Accommodations

1924. MS. SUSHILA TIRIYA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state.

(a) whether it is a fact that Government carries out additional work in Government accommodation on payment of ten per cent;

(b) if so, whether there is time schedule within which the work has to be carried out after payment of ten per cent; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the action proposed to be taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) Yes, Sir. As per the existing policy guidelines, CPWD undertakes certain addition and alteration works in occupied Government accommodation on cost sharing basis.

(b) and (c) No fixed time schedule has been prescribed, as the time for completion of such works depends upon the nature and quantum of work and also on availability of funds.

Inclusion of Tirupati under JNNURM cities

1925. DR. K. KESHAVA RAO: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the most prominent and premier religious centre like Tirupati is not included in the JNNURM list of cities for infrastructure development;

(b) if so, the reasons for the same; and

(c) the action Government would take to include the same in the list?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Decision to keep number of cities covered under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) around 60 was taken with the approval of Government. However, cities which are not covered under the JNNURM have been covered under another scheme of the Ministry, namely, Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT).

Projects taken under JNNURM

1926. DR. K. KESHAVA RAO: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the important major urban infrastructure projects taken up under JNNURM, with the respective outlays, State-wise;

(b) whether it is a fact that these projects, particularly the underground drainage/STP Flyovers, Mass transport system are not subjected to clearances, thus threatening the unimaginable environmental pollution hazards in future; and

(c) whether these projects are subjected to social audit?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) and (b) Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) are prepared by the